

Amendment No. 1 to HB0288

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Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate Bill No. 319*

House Bill No. 288

by inserting the following language between the fourth and fifth sentences of the amendatory language of Section 1:

A personal support services agency licensed by either department may also serve individuals with physical or other disabilities.

AND FURTHER AMEND by deleting the language “previously acquired” from subdivision (c)(1) of the amendatory language of Section 2 and substituting instead the language “current personal support services”.

AND FURTHER AMEND by adding the following language at the end of subdivision (c)(1) of the amendatory language of Section 2:

Personal support services agencies that provide services for the aged or persons with mental illness and persons with intellectual or developmental disabilities shall not be required to obtain a license from both departments. The departments shall work together to ensure that licensure standards for personal support services agencies are appropriate across all of the populations that may be served and are consistently applied.

AND FURTHER AMEND by deleting subdivision (c)(2) of the amendatory language of Section 2 and substituting instead the following:

(2) The licensing entity shall be determined based on the larger population served by the agency as of the effective date of this act or, in the case of new applicants for licensure, the larger population anticipated to be served by the agency at the time of licensure application.